

ANNOUNCE CHANGES IN SCHOOL SYSTEM

Appointments, Resignations,
Promotions, and Trans-
fers of Teachers.

The following changes in the school system were announced at the meeting of the Board of Education held last night:

Appointments.
Miss Mary Mason, teacher, second grade, Congress Heights School, ninth division.
Miss H. N. Gordon, teacher, second grade, Smithers School, twelfth division.
Miss Josephine McCoy, teacher, second grade, Maury School, seventh division.
Miss V. E. Chase, teacher, first grade, Garfield School, thirteenth division.

Resignations Accepted.
Miss E. N. Lansdale, teacher, fifth grade, Curtis School, first division.
Miss M. E. Merweather, teacher, third grade, Briggs School, tenth division.
L. B. McNeal, teacher, bookkeeping and arithmetic, Business High School.
Miss M. P. Simpson, teacher, third grade, Congress Heights School, ninth division.

On Substitute List.
Miss Harriet Thompson, high schools, in Latin, English, and history.
Miss L. Ruth Alden, high schools, in mathematics and chemistry.

Promotions.
Miss S. F. Clokey, from fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from Hyde School to Curtis School, first division.
Miss N. F. Hedin, from second grade to third grade, and transfer from Maury School, seventh division, to Addison School, first division.

Miss J. G. Lockwood, from fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from Ketcham to Congress Heights School, ninth division.
Miss E. E. Adams, from first grade to third grade, Garfield School, thirteenth division.

Miss M. L. Pyles, from third grade to fourth grade, and transfer from Congress Heights School to Stanton School, ninth division.
Miss M. E. Taylor, from second grade to third grade, Congress Heights School, ninth division.
Miss C. M. Rucker, from third grade to fourth grade, and transfer from Addison School to Hyde School, first division.

Transfers.
Miss L. M. Roteler, teacher, fourth grade, from Stanton School to Ketcham School, ninth division.
Miss Eleanor Curtis, teacher, third grade, from Garfield School, thirteenth division, to Briggs School, tenth division.
Leave of absence, without pay, for the remainder of the school year, Miss M. L. Williams.

FOUR MORE BUNDLES FOR SANTA TO CARRY

Arrival of Twins At McKen-
zie and Boucher Homes
Adds to His Work.

Just as Santa Claus was tightening the harness on Dancer and the other reindeer of his team he got a wireless from Washington:

"Four more stockings to fill: two at home of David G. McKenzie, 18 Ninth street northeast; two at home of Edward P. Boucher, 1011 Third street northeast."
Santa Claus probably did not need the wireless, for he must have seen the smoke from the cigars that Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Boucher were distributing in pairs. The McKenzie twins are boys; those that bless the Boucher home are a boy and a girl.
Of course, the wireless messages—four of them—went up the chimney.
"They'll be able to tell you what they want by Christmas," his fond parents wrote. "They would write now if they weren't so busy getting the world straightened up to suit them."
Santa Claus put on four extra packages and smiled.

Action in "Drawback" Cases Expected Soon

That it is possible the Government will recover as much from the abuse of "drawback" privileges as it did in the underweight sugar cases, when it recovered more than \$4,000,000, is declared by Federal officials.
United States District Attorney W. P. Attorney General Wickham and Assistant Secretary Curtis have been in extended conference on the question. They have progressed to a point where some action is promised shortly.

Don't Forget!

Today, now, order a bottle of Maryland Club, the wholesome whiskey, of delightful taste, for your holiday entertaining at home.

Christmas Program At Terminal Y. M. C. A.

A program was completed today for the annual Christmas service which will be held at the Terminal Y. M. C. A. Christmas afternoon at 8 o'clock, under the direction of Secretary G. H. Winslow.
The public is invited to attend. W. E. Andrews, Auditor of the Treasury Department, will make the principal address. Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Lindsay and Miss Florence M. Noack will take part in the musical program. Edwin Calloway will give a stereoscopic reading of the birth and early life of Christ.

Holiday Begins.

Pupils of the Holy Cross Academy will leave for home within a few days for their Christmas vacation. They will return for school duties January 3.

National Union Elects Its Officers for Year

Plans are being formulated today by the new corps of officers of the Congressional Council, National Union, for a continuation of the good work of the order, when they take up their duties after the first of the year. These new officers, elected at a meeting held in Typographical Temple, last night, are: A. Lavigne, president; U. S. J. Dunbar, vice president; J. E. Hogan, speaker; F. B. Wright, secretary; E. Johnson, treasurer; W. A. Smith, chaplain; J. B. Hayes, usher; J. E. Lanham, sergeant-at-arms; A. Sholl, doorkeeper; A. E. Riddle, E. Johnson, P. B. Wright, U. S. J. Dunbar, J. B. Hayes, E. H. Bayly, A. Lavigne, J. E. Hogan, delegates to cabinet; V. Thompson, T. W. Thomas, and J. J. Bohn, trustees.
Bancroft Council will meet tonight at Typographical Temple.

Class Hatred Criticised By Socialist Lecturer

John Spargo, socialist writer and lecturer, spoke at a meeting of Washington socialists in Pythian Temple last night. In dealing with the first main point in his lecture, a criticism of class hatred, Spargo said the extinction of this class hatred is one of the cardinal aims of his doctrine. The fault, he continued, is not with rich men, but with the system which permits a few men to become immensely rich and forces the majority of men to remain poor for the advantage of this small few.
The presence of many women in the audience gave Mr. Spargo a chance to speak very effectively on the subjects of women and child laborers.

Interest in Gaelic Reawakened by Society

More than 300 men, women, and children, who last night took part in the meeting of the Gaelic Society at the New Willard, are today discussing the opportunities presented by this language, which were so clearly brought out in the address by the Rev. Michael O'Flannagan, delegate of the Gaelic League of Ireland to America.
Father O'Flannagan was the principal speaker of the evening, but other addresses were made by the Rev. George A. Dougherty, vice rector of the Catholic University; P. J. Haligan, of the Ancient Order of Hibernians; P. T. Moran, Dr. Joseph Dunn, James Mooney, J. D. Sullivan, and Dr. M. Hrdicka.

Citizens Would Change Name of Thoroughfare

Property owners in the neighborhood of Georgia and New Hampshire avenues are in favor of changing the name of Rock Creek Church road to that of Rock Creek road.
A bill for that purpose, in substitution of the measure recently introduced in the upper branch of Congress by Senator Johnston, of Alabama, accordingly will be urged to adoption. The Johnston bill provided that the name of the road should be changed to that of Putnam street.
If Your Business Takes You To the Financial District of New York, the Baltimore & Ohio is most convenient and time saving. There has been no change in the running of through trains to Jersey City. The uptown terminal at West 22d street, in the shopping and hotel district, is still maintained.—Adv.

Jewel cases reduced

49c kinds for . . . 39c
98c kinds for . . . 85c

These Jewel Cases are in French gray or rose gold finish, silk lined.

The difference in price is due to the size and elaborateness of design on top—First floor, Jewellery section.

Open late tomorrow night

S. KANN'S SONS & CO

8th ST. & PA. AVE.
"THE BUSY CORNER"

\$2 linen Lunch cloths for \$1.29

Size 36 inches.
Made of excellent quality linen with embroidered designs in solid effects or with elaborate drawnwork designs; both styles have hemstitched hems.
These Lunch Cloths any housekeeper would greatly appreciate. Third floor, Art section.

11 places on first floor to buy Christmas candies

Make selections tomorrow, sure What's Christmas without candy?

Tomorrow is the day to buy Christmas Candies, and we've provided well to handle the throng of buyers. There will be 11 places on first floor where Christmas Candies can be bought and sufficient salespeople stationed at each to see that all are waited on properly. We've so many Candies at 12c lb. that an extra booth in addition to the one provided, has been added.

Kann's Kapital Kandy, 35c lb.

100 different kinds—made fresh daily

Chocolate-covered Figs, Dates, Pineapple, Cherries,	Ginger, Marshmallow, Peanuts, Paste, Raisins,	Nougat, Caramels, Chocolate-covered Creams, Butter-Creams,	Peppermint, Bonbon Flavors, (Nuts and Fruit), Strawberry, Maple,	Orange, Lemon, Violet, Pistachio.
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12c candy

Cocoanut Bonbons, Cream Bonbons, Peppermint Buttons, Wintergreen Buttons, Spiced Gum Drops, Jap Jellies, Maple Cream Wafers, Twisted Fidgets, Caramels, Wrapped, Crystallized Nougat, Jelly Diamonds,

Iced Orange and Lemon Paste, Mint Kisses, Dipped Dates, Ice Cream Kisses, Buttercups, Jelly Cakes, Belmont Bonbons, Raspberry Croquettes, Salted Peanuts, Raisin Cups,

Wild Cherry Gum Drops, Anise Gum Drops, Fig Brilliantines.

25c candy

Chocolate-covered, Strawberry Cream, Pineapple Cream, Orange Cream, Lemon Cream, Maple Cream, Vanilla Cream, Whipped Cream, Chocolate-tip Goods, Almond, Filbert,

Pecan, Cherry, Pineapple, Grenoble, Peanut, Chocolate-covered, Nougat, Caramels, Peanut Butter, Marshmallow,

Cream Wafers, Lemon, Orange, Wintergreen, Peppermint, Crystallized Gum, Licorice, Lemon, Orange, Rose, Peppermint,

25c candy

Conserved Fruits, embracing the best kinds, and these confections sell regularly at 60c a lb. elsewhere, packed 5 lbs. in pretty decorated box, and sold here tomorrow, complete for . . . \$1.95

Boxed Chocolates and Bonbons, 1-lb. boxes, and candies that you would pay 40c a lb. for readily, are here tomorrow in pretty decorated boxes for . . . 25c

Half pound boxes, same kinds, for 15c.

ORDER NOW

GIVE FURNITURE FOR CHRISTMAS


Nothing will be so much appreciated as the gift of a piece of good furniture. And the pleasure it gives is lasting. Your purchases at this store will be delivered promptly and carefully. You can earn 10 per cent discount by paying cash, or open a charge account, as you desire.

Rockers

This Solid Quartered Oak Rocker,

\$3.98

This Rocker is exactly like the illustration to the right. Made of genuine quartered oak, with panel in the back, turned posts, turned rungs and spindles, solid wood seat and handsomely polished.



Hastings Dining Tables

This Solid Quartered Oak Hastings Table,

\$21.50

Highly Polished Hastings Dining Table, just like the illustration to the left. The top is of solid quartered white oak (not veneered) and is 44 inches in diameter. It extends to 6 feet, has 3 leaves, claw feet and fitted with the Tyden lock.



Mission Clocks

This Large Mission Clock

99c

Special Price While They Last

99c

We have only a limited number of these Clocks and cannot get more to sell at this price; so you had better secure yours early. They are of weathered oak, 38 inches long, with brass hands, brass chains and genuine weight movement. Special net price, 99c.



MAYER & CO.,
409 to 417 Seventh St. N. W.
OPEN LATE EVENINGS

Select from the best assortment of handkerchiefs in the city

When it has come to the last minute you've got to make your purchases in a hurry. You haven't time to run around much or change your mind much. Decide upon handkerchiefs, they're always right. Our assortment is so great that you can find what you want here. We've so many different kinds it is impossible to mention all. We have four different sections devoted to handkerchiefs. 25c is a popular price, so we call your attention to the

1,000 different kinds of handkerchiefs

At 25c

All Linen, hand-embroidered, in bowknot style.
All Linen, hand-embroidered in Madeira work.
All Linen, hand-embroidered initial, block letter.
All Linen, hand-embroidered, plain initial.
All Linen, hand-embroidered, butterfly.
All Linen, hand-embroidered, floral.
All around hemstitched, and embroidered.
One corner embroidered handkerchiefs, all linen; hundreds of other styles, all our own importations.

GIVE A MUFFLER

Complete varieties here of the best kinds:

MUFFLERS, mercerized, in all sizes, 12 to 16, and colors of white, black, green, and light blue, 25c

clasp fastener 50c

AUTO OR DRIVING MUFFLERS, finished with fringed ends, turn-over collar, with 3 pearl clasp fasteners, in white, black, 1.50 or gray for 1.50 (Other styles 75c and 1.00.)

BRADLEY'S MUFFLERS, clasp fastener, highly mercerized, all sizes, 12 to 17, in white, 50c

black, or gray for 50c

PHOENIX MUFFLERS, richly mercerized, in black, light blue, beige, and tan, clasp fastener, 50c

all sizes, 12 to 16 50c

1st floor—Special Table, Lace Aisle.

Gift footwear a suggestion to last minute buyers

Some of these lines have been specially-reduced from former prices, which were exceptionally low to begin with, being special purchases in some cases.

WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS, fur trimmed, kinds we have been selling at \$1.25 and \$1.50, in all sizes, and a variety of colorings—blue, black, moon, gray, and red. Special, a pair \$1.10

WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS, fur trimmed, also crocheted slippers, comfy slippers, kid boudoir slippers, etc. The biggest and most complete line in the city, in all sizes, and in the wanted colorings, a 98c pair 98c

500 PAIR OF WOMEN'S FELT JULIETS, fur trimmed, also one lot of crocheted slippers, kinds that you expect to pay 85c for, but which, owing to a large special purchase we are able to offer at this special price tomorrow, the Juliets in wine, gray, and black, and the crocheted slippers in various combinations; special a pair at . 79c

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S JULIETS, red felt, with red plush or black fur trimming. These are the famous Dolgeville make, and are very pretty. Size 8 1/2 to 8. They make useful as well as pretty gifts. Special tomorrow at 85c

Second floor—Shoes.

Black sateen petticoats

Make practical gifts

We show the best kinds at the lowest prices. Three lots to select from, and more at this section:—

BLACK SATEEN PETTICOATS, 3 styles, all with deep flounces, some shirred, others with pin tucking; all lengths, \$1.00 Choice 1.00

BLACK SATEEN PETTICOATS, jersey or sateen tops with deep flounces, finished with pin tucking or embroidery edge. Choice of three styles at \$1.50

BLACK HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS, also of sateen in black and white effects, some with jersey tops, deep flounces, finished with tucking; regular and extra sizes. Choice \$2.00

2nd floor—S. Kann, Sons & Co.

This collapsible Go-cart

Worth \$1.50 for

\$1.00



Just like those for children. Made entirely of steel. Seat and back covered with leatherette. Handles of wood. Exceptional value at our special price.

Black chiffon taffeta silk waists, \$4.50 value for \$2.95

These are fasten front effects, broad pleated styles, in all sizes. The material is excellent and the workmanship decidedly out of the usual. How about one of these for your wife as a Christmas gift?

\$3.00 LINGERIE WAISTS, an entirely new model, elaborately trimmed, with cluny inserts, and medallions, lace stock, and cuffs. \$1.50

\$2.00 EMBROIDERED LINENE WAISTS, new openwork eyelets designs, fastened at the side. Gibson pleats, link cuffs and laced collar. In all sizes special. \$1.00

Second Floor—Waist Department.

Give fountain pens. Good ones 99c here for...

Worth double asked price. These are in seven different styles. WE GUARANTEE EVERY ONE SOLD TO GIVE PERFECT SATISFACTION. These are very attractively put up in holly boxes, and will make the best kind of gift to the business man or woman, the professional man, students and others who do a great deal of writing.

Mountings of plain or 14-karat silver and gold. All pens are 14-karat gold filled, with iridium points.—1st floor—Stationery Section.

\$1 Austrian silk scarfs, 59c

The best value in a scarf to be had anywhere in the city. Grounds of white, light blue, or lavender with colored stripes in graduated width and finished each end with gold dots; hemstitched ends; full 2 yards long. Real dainty in appearance, and will make an ideal gift. Only 50c. First Floor—Neckwear Section.

75c linen scarfs, 59c

These Linen Scarfs are 2 yards long with elaborate designs of drawn-work and hemstitched hems. They are excellent for buffet or dinner use.

First Floor—Bargain Table, Lace Aisle.

Children's hats at 39c

These are pretty little hats for every day wear. In pretty colorings, felt hats, in sailor shapes, roll brim hats, and mushroom hats. They are really 50c and \$1.50 hats, but a special price for tomorrow—39c.

WOMEN'S TRIMMED HATS, felts, some in toque, others in mushroom and small shapes principally, trimmed with wings, fancy feathers, ribbons, and velvets, choice of the lot, many of which are worth 95c \$2.50, for 39c

Second Floor—Millinery Dept.

Lambrequins, 29c

A specially low price for a specialty good lambrequin.

These are of sateen in white grounds with large floral designs in different colors; fringed ends. Does this suggest a gift to give? Third Floor—Art Section.

Manicure sets, \$1.49 kinds 85c for

These are of ebony, with sterling silver trimmings, 6 pieces. These will make good gifts, choose one for some friend tomorrow.

CHINA PUFF JARS and hair receivers, special tomorrow 19c at 19c

SHAVING STANDS, regularly \$3.00. Stand is of nickel, extension mirror, brush, and removable china mug for \$2.25

First Floor—Toilet Dept.

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First Floor—Toilet Dept.